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REMARKS

The applicant submits herewith an amendment to the specification. The amendment does not constitute new matter and should therefore be entered.

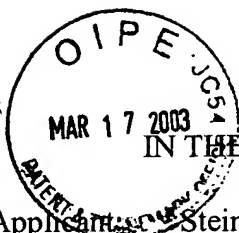
Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Early favorable action is respectfully requested.

If for any reason this Preliminary Amendment is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts, at (781) 890-5678.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT A

In the Specification:

Please delete the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 9, and replace it with the following:

This application claims priority over U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/350,398 entitled SINGLE INSTRUCTION MULTIPLE <sup>A</sup>~~DATA~~ (SIMD) ALU ARRAY ~~to~~ <sup>2002</sup> Kablotsky et al., filed January 21, 2001.

REMARKS

Preliminarily to the examination of the above-identified patent application, applicants